

Memoranda
Phoenix

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2-4 Decembe 1966

Dick Crossin

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Phoenix Island

2 - 4 ~~Dec~~ 66

✓ 140 P
C 150

Done 12/27/68

2 ~~Nov~~^{Dec} 66

Bands Received

863-55501 - 56000 stad on eggs

3 DEC

863-85001 - 85500 stad on eggs

863-87001 - 87500 " " " "

943-48001 - 48500 " " " "

943-48701 - 900 " " " "

4 Dec

943-50501 - 52000 " " " "

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~~Banding~~

~~863-55501 - 600 ST ad on eggs.~~

~~55601 - 56000 ST ad on eggs.~~

3 Dec

~~863-85001 - 85500 ST ad on eggs.~~

~~863-87001 - 87500 " "~~

~~943-48001 - 48500 "~~

~~943 48701 - 900 "~~

4 Dec

943-50501 - 52000 ST ad on eggs

1897

Nov 10

Nov 11

Nov 12

Nov 13

Nov 14

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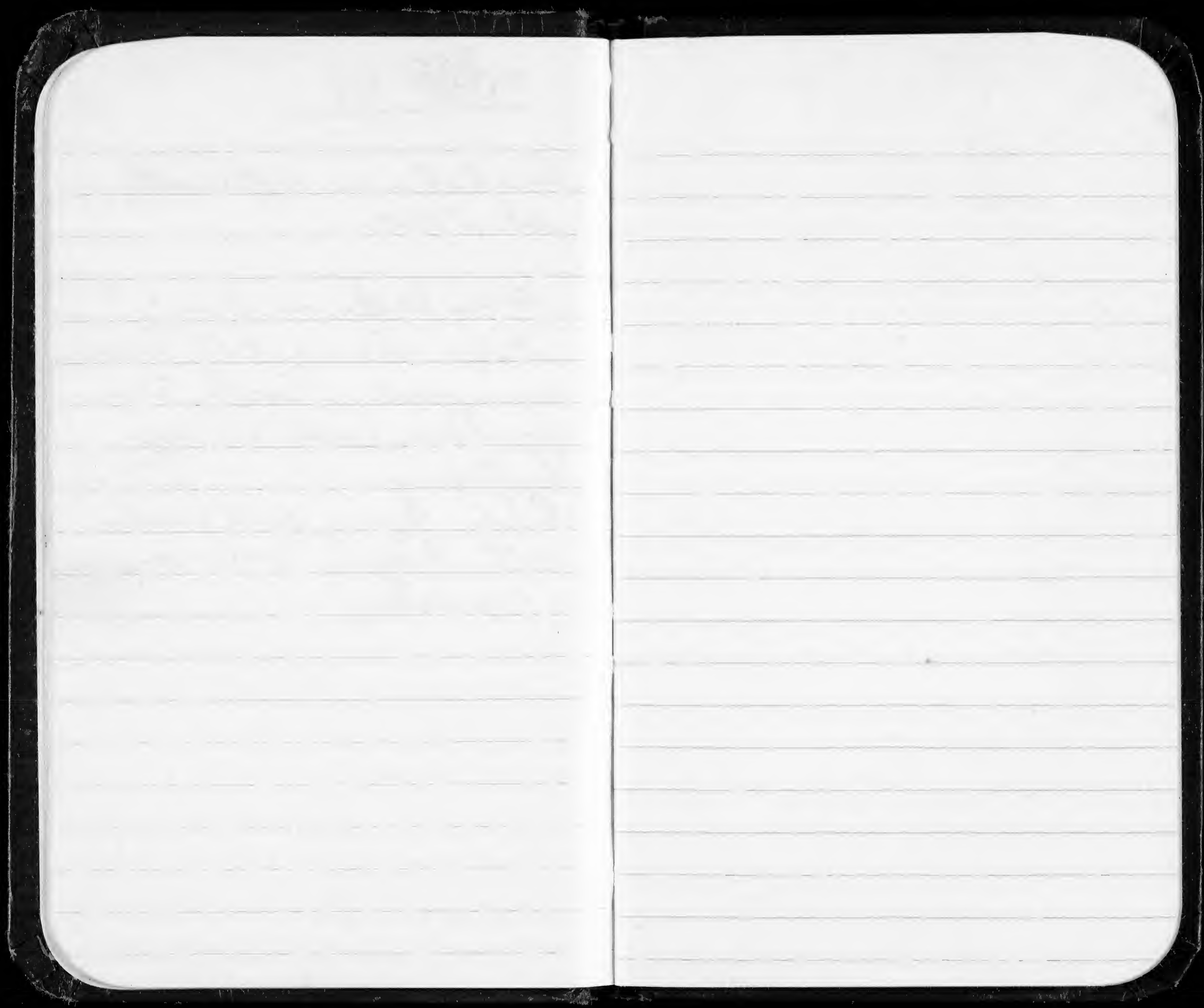
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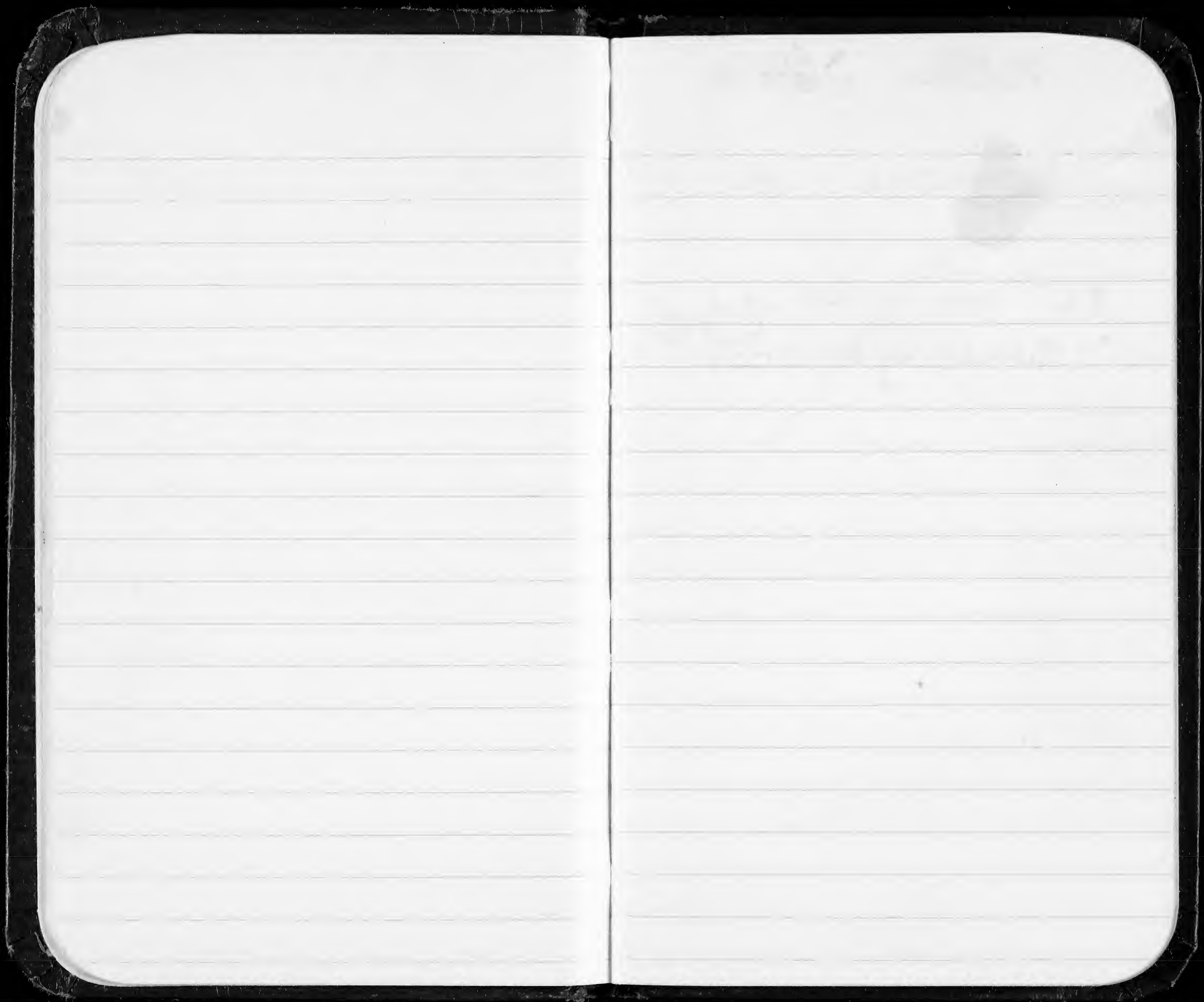
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Landed - no difficulty
at 1700.

Grey backs w/ fresh
eggs strung all through
canopies, Sooty terns
farther back w/ eggs
hatching.

CIS young full grown.
WT digging burrows -
copulating.





Returns 2 ~~Dec~~^{Dec} 66

AS 743-35744 at edge of
burrow
Rebanded by 863-83323

Returns 2 ~~Dec~~^{Dec} 66

CIS 544 - 50320 ad. on
empty nest.

FT 652-46949 ad. sitting on log.

ST Returns ✓ ADP
2 ~~value~~

793-39531 ad on egg ✓
 ✓ 57529 " " " ✓
 ✓ 38682 ad on egg 40335 " " " ✓
 71089 " " " ✓
 58610 " " " ✓
 58160 " " " ✓
 32097 " " " ✓
 41554 " " " ✓
 41599 " " " ✓
 35570 " " " ✓
 55281 " " " ✓
 35147 " " " ✓
 33670 " " " ✓
 58909 " " " ✓
 55893 " " " ✓
 41377 " " " ✓
 70075 " " " ✓
 58457 " " " ✓
~~41377~~

Sooty Tern Returns
 2 ~~value~~ 66
~~Dec~~ ADP

853-02277 ad. on egg ✓
 05341 " " " ✓
 08251 " " " ✓
 07178 " " " ✓
 07207 " " " ✓
 05008 " " " ✓
 08950 " " " ✓
 06537 " " " ✓
 07024 " " " ✓
 84357239 ad on egg ✓
 59676 " " " ✓
 59264 " " " ✓
 59907 " " 2 eggs ✓
 59458 " " egg ✓
 58769 " " " ✓

✓ ADP ST Returns
~~20066~~
dec

✓ ~~893-44739~~ ad on egg

✓ ~~753-50672~~ ad on egg

✓ 67703 " " "

3 ~~Nov~~ Dec

ST Returns

✓ADP

793-59730 ad on egg ✓

57906 " " ✓

37319 " " ✓

33036 " ✓

32433 " ✓

34087 " ✓

34351 " ✓

39870 " ✓

36161 " ✓

31509 " ✓

32640 " ✓

34004 " ✓

39579 " ✓

41731 " ✓

43208 " ✓

57601 " ✓

35836 " ✓

35214 " ✓

40487 " ✓

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ST Returns ✓ADP

853-08673 ✓ ad on egg

✓06304 ADONE 08439 ✓ " ✓

01116 " 02578 ✓ " ✓

08981 " 07310 ✓ " ✓

06352 " 02115 ✓ " ✓

09999 " 04571 ✓ " ✓

843-60897 ✓ ad on egg 02700 ✓

60561 ✓ " 01733 ✓

54657 ✓ " 05229 ✓

59237 ✓ " 09823 ✓

54573 ✓ " 03215 ✓

56143 ✓ " ✓

60736 ✓ " ✓

57030 ✓ " ✓

31 ~~Dec~~ Dec ✓ ADP
ST Returns

753-68418 AME ✓ ✓ 66583 ✓ AME

68483 " ✓

01235 " ✓

02730 " ✓

793-58718 AME ✓ ✓ 56050 ✓ AME

38479 " ✓ 54496 ✓ "

59908 " ✓ 54113 ✓ "

55911 " ✓ 39711 ✓ "

42994 " ✓ 35572 ✓ "

38144 " ✓ 33056 ✓ "

42786 " ✓

58918 " ✓

39788 " ✓

42082 " ✓

36650 " ✓

58996 " ✓

57099 " ✓

57299 " ✓

39416 " ✓

31 ~~Dec~~ Dec ✓ ADP
ST Returns

853-09812 AME ✓ ✓ ADP

03878 " ✓

00811 " ✓

06760 " ✓

02059 " ✓

08866 " ✓

08221 " ✓

09198 " ✓

06922 " ✓

843-56041 AME ✓

60606 " ✓

✓ADP

st Returns

4 Dec

793-56809 A on E ✓

42395 " ✓

56729 " ✓

39473 " ✓

59649 " ✓

36699 " ✓

40233 " ✓

56791 " ✓

35954 " ✓

57849 " ✓

54947 " ✓

42330 " ✓

55382 " ✓

41584 " ✓

843-54668 A on E ✓

56949 " ✓

60892 " ✓

60430 A on E ✓

54980 A on E ✓

59413 " ✓

853-06792 A on E ✓

03941 " ✓

03748 " ✓

03151 " ✓

07113 " ✓

01019 " ✓

06643 " ✓

05395 " ✓

04879 " ✓

08284 " ✓

05571 " ✓

08998 " ✓

09896 " ✓

01948 " ✓

02380 " ✓

01293 " ✓

ST Returns

4 Dec

✓ADP

753-66768 A on E ✓

68428 " ✓

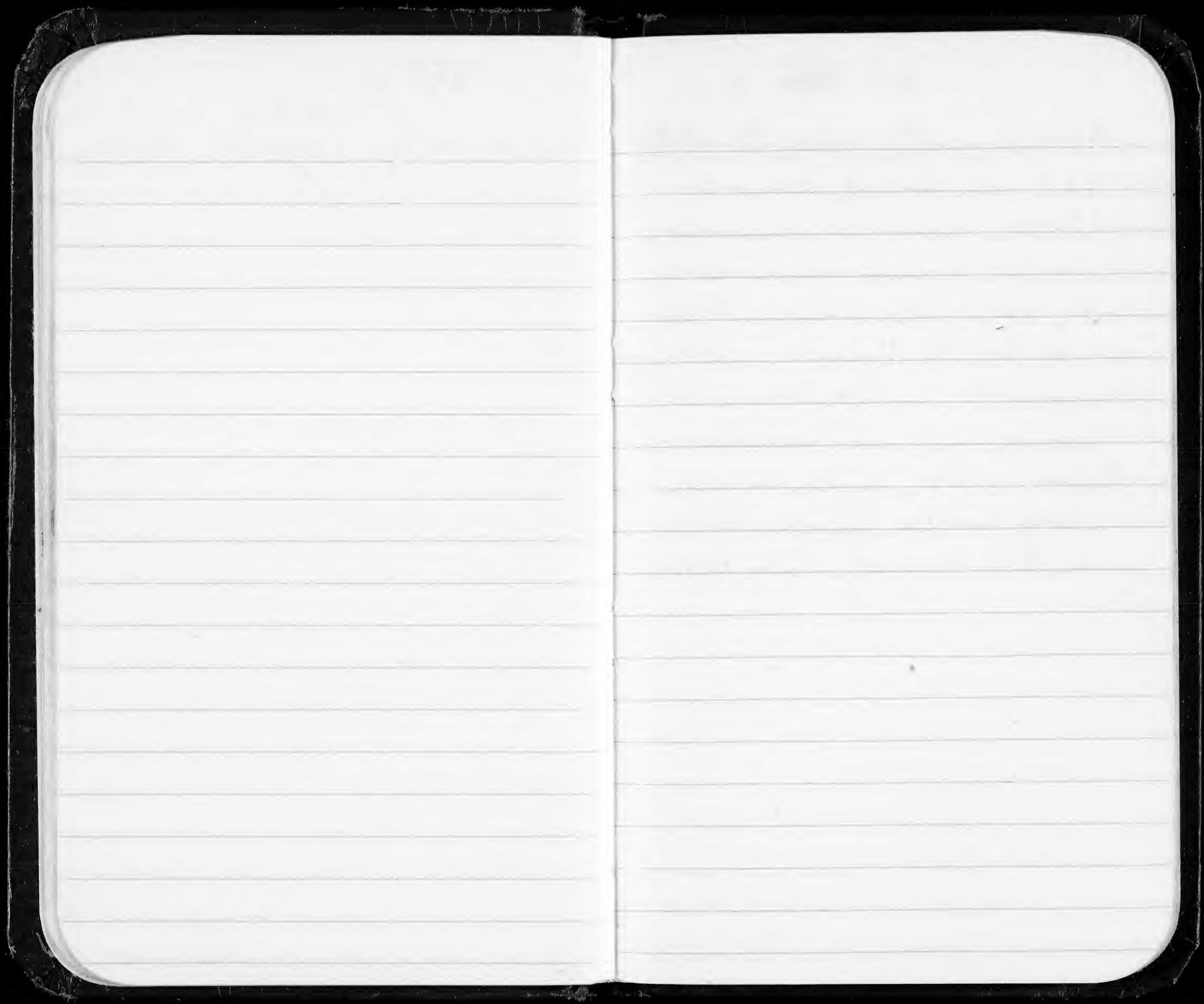
66624 " ✓

743-34342 A on E ✓

34306 " ✓

4 Dec. ✓ APP

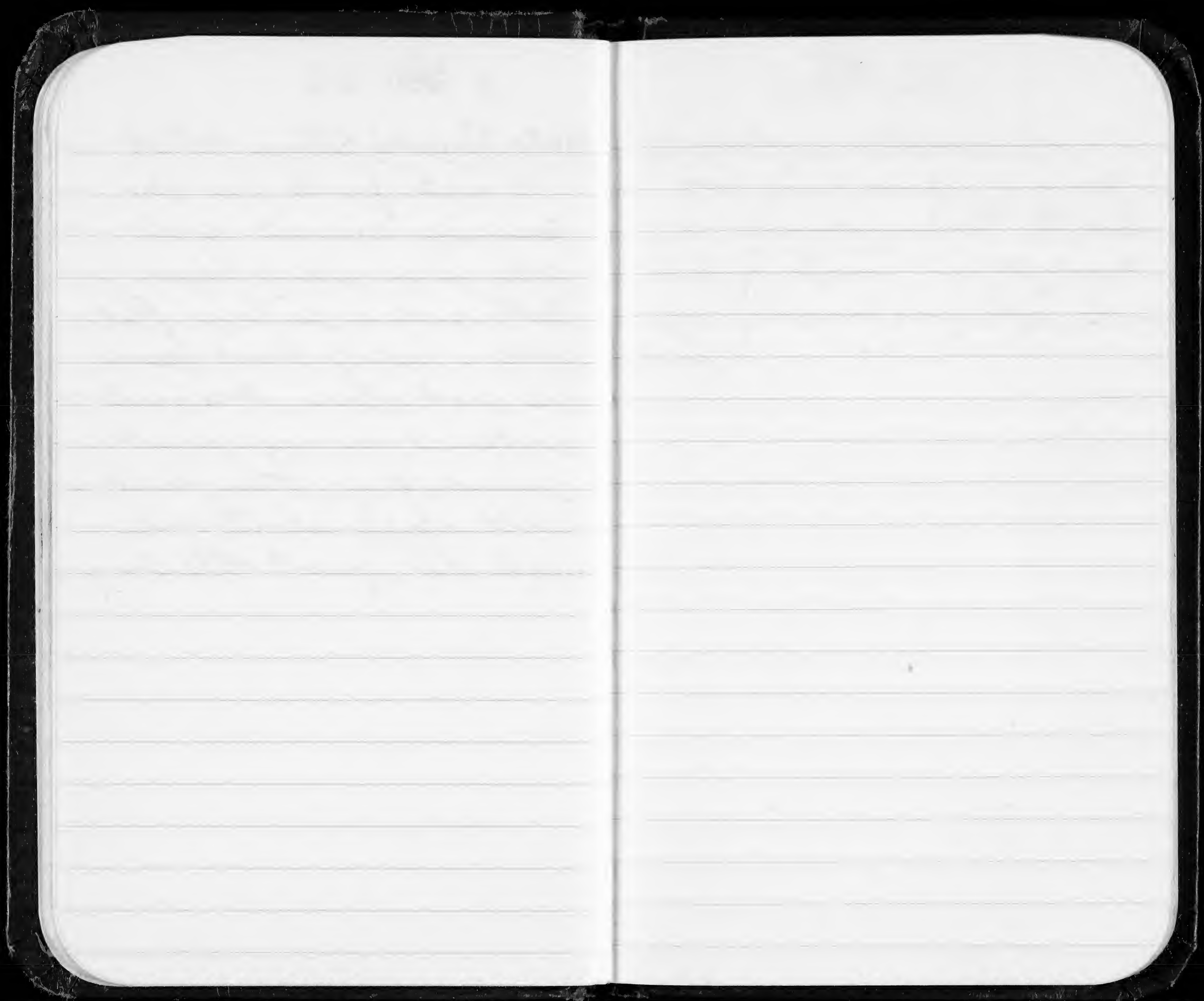
FT ad. 652 47019 perched on side



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White-throated Storm Petrel

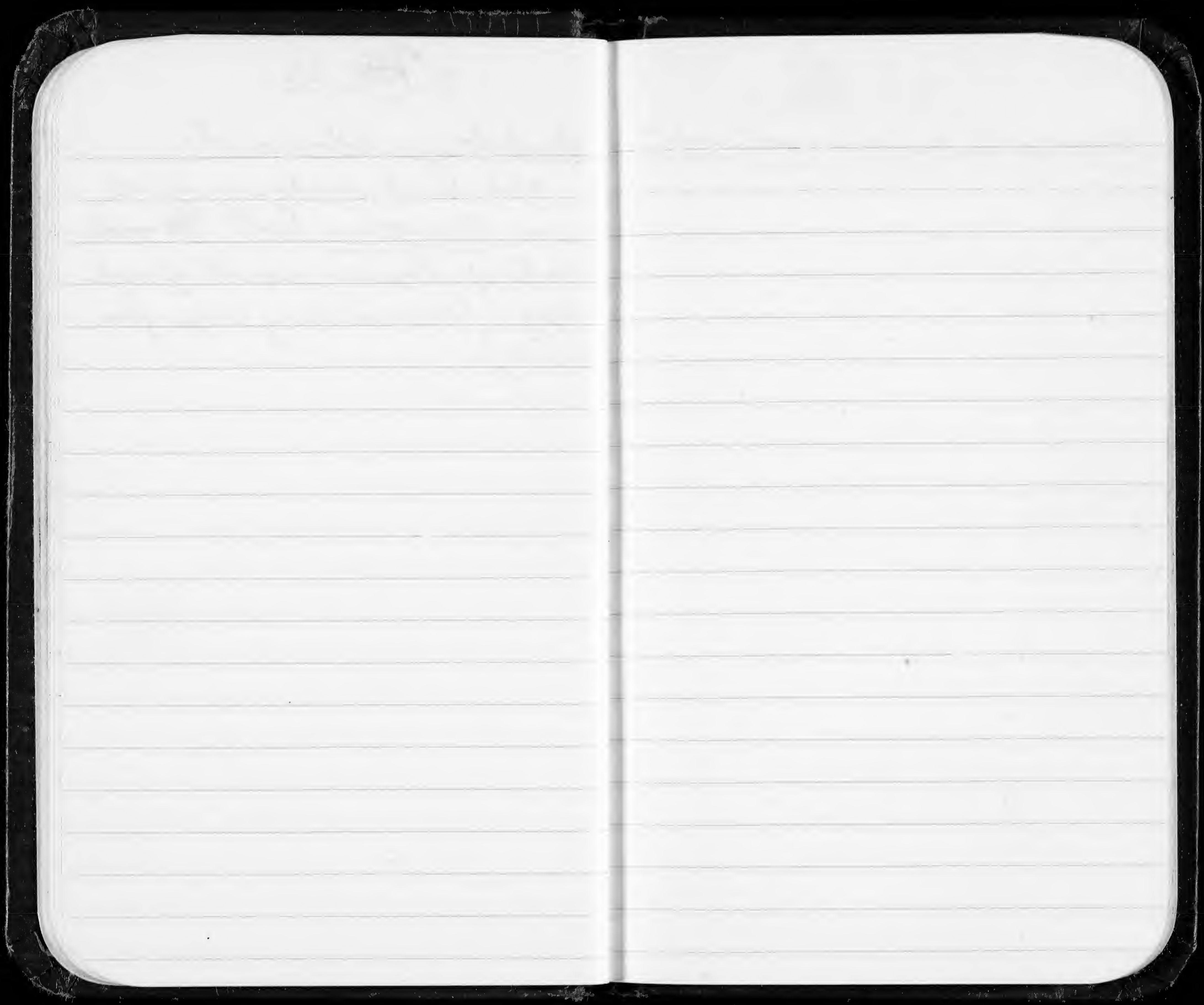
2 nests found in the
~~Sesuvium~~ covered rock
pile on W side of lagoon.
Both nests under large flat
rocks - nests of dried grass
and weed stems. One nest
contained an egg - parent
incubating, other nest
with chick about one
week old - parent attending.



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Audubons Shearwater

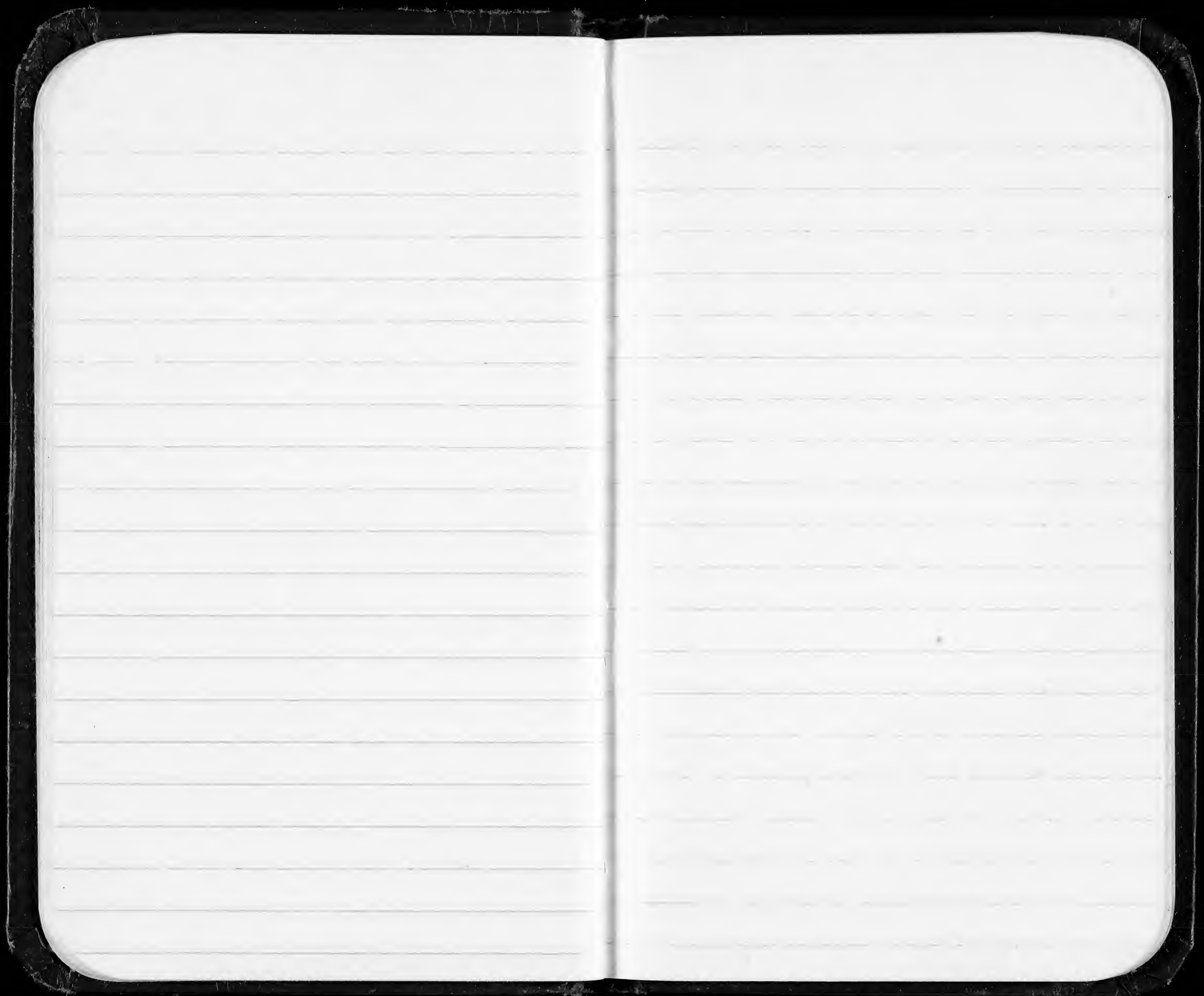
one bird under a rock
in Sesuvium belt ^W ~~#~~ ~~and~~
side of lagoon with fresh
egg - (seemed very large for
bird).



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Christmas Island Shearwater







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Gray-backed tern

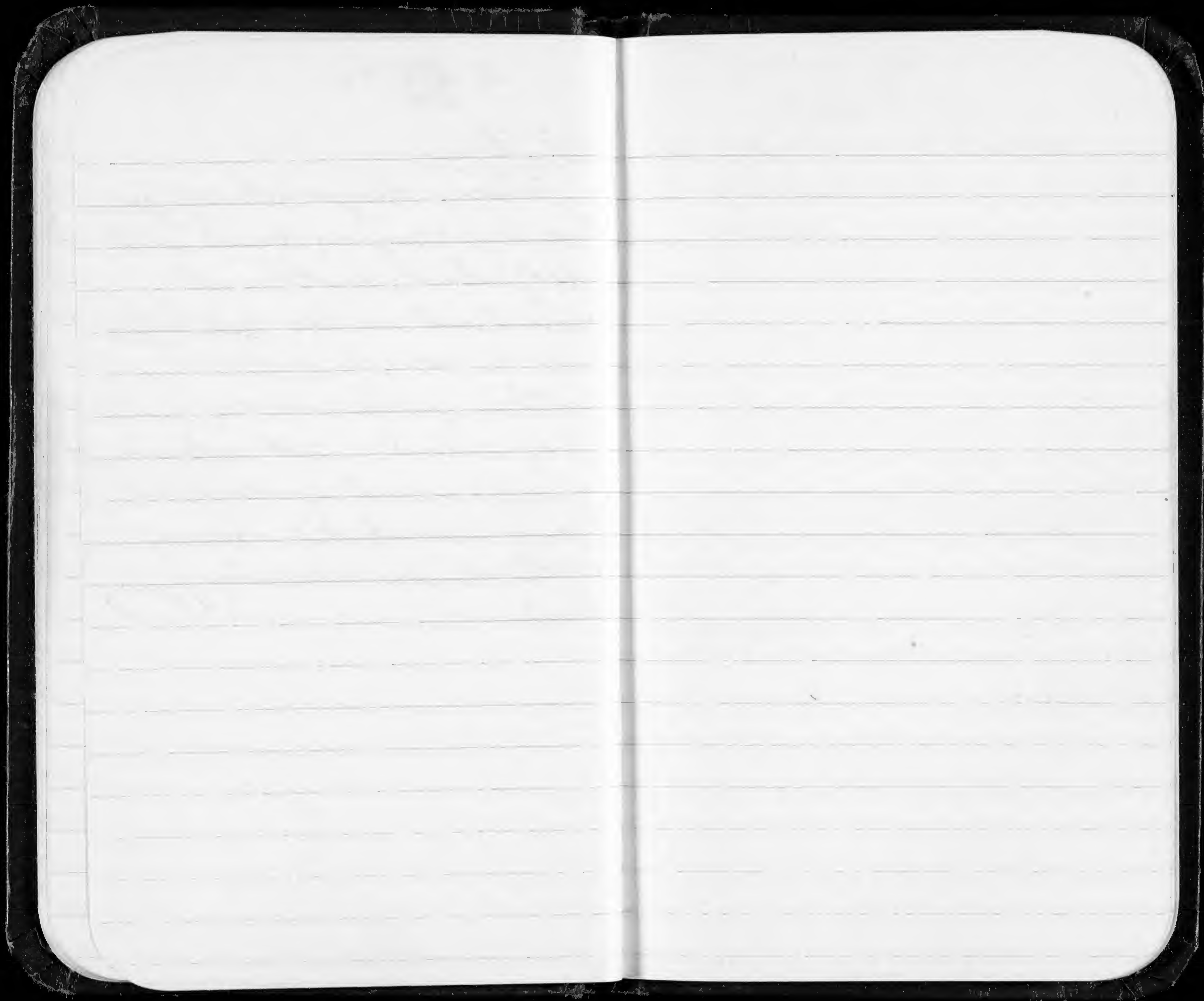
Disjunct, small colonies
about entire island. These
are practically all w/ eggs,
but a few (<100) med to large
chicks were seen.

Nests w/ eggs rough est. = 5000

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Sooty Terns

Colony disjunct w/ portions by camp on beach, west side of island, another all around and in the Sida fallon area on w. side central lagoon, another portion on the south end of island. All colonies on eggs - most of which are heavy incubated - many with chicks already pipping shell.



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Fairy Terns

12 roosted around island

1 5⁺ day old chick on E side

of island

Brown Booby

1 nest w/ 1 egg 5 end

Red-footed Booby

1 nest w/ 1 egg 1 ft up in live

1 large young

4 11 17

3 med. 11

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Blue Faced Booby

[illegible]

at S end many flying imm
4000 Lesser, Frigate, in
E block of colony.

1300
~~1317~~ W end block
2700 Next to W end block
1800 next to E end
9800 = 10,000

200 imm. in another
small colony farther E

2,200 'grown nestlings'
at N end of lagoon

12,400

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Shorebirds

(1) E rovia in dry
lagoon on 4 Dec.

BP	RT	WT
10	65	12
56	48	
(66)	(113)	(12)

BTC
THH THH
X/1

(15)

4

4

(23)

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14 large GF nestlings
about SE colony of 200
Lit. nests in low Sida

64 greater Frig large nestlings
to imm. stages. Nest
of lagoon about Sida

35 GF young 21 med
14 large
all nests in low Sida
Nest

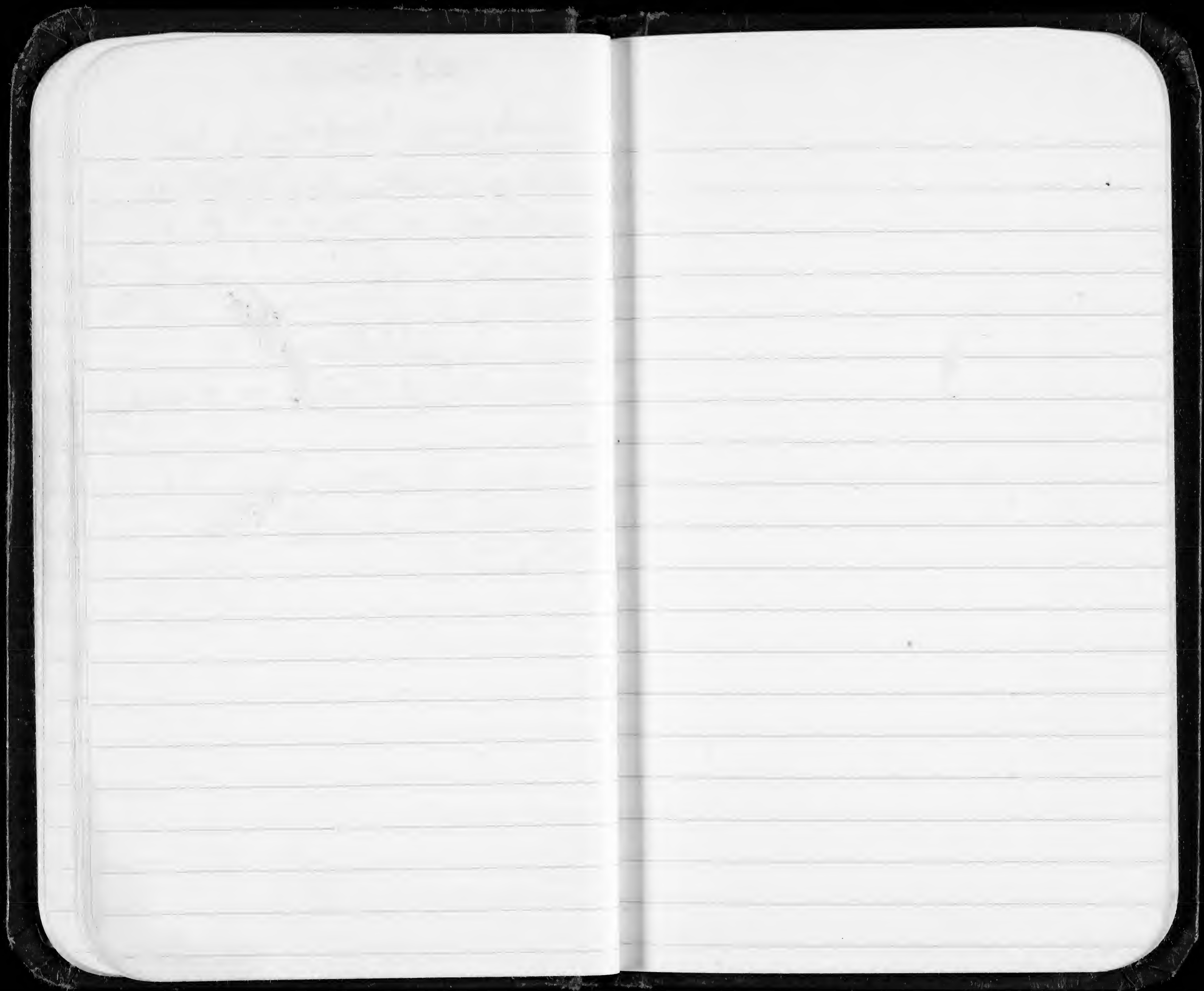
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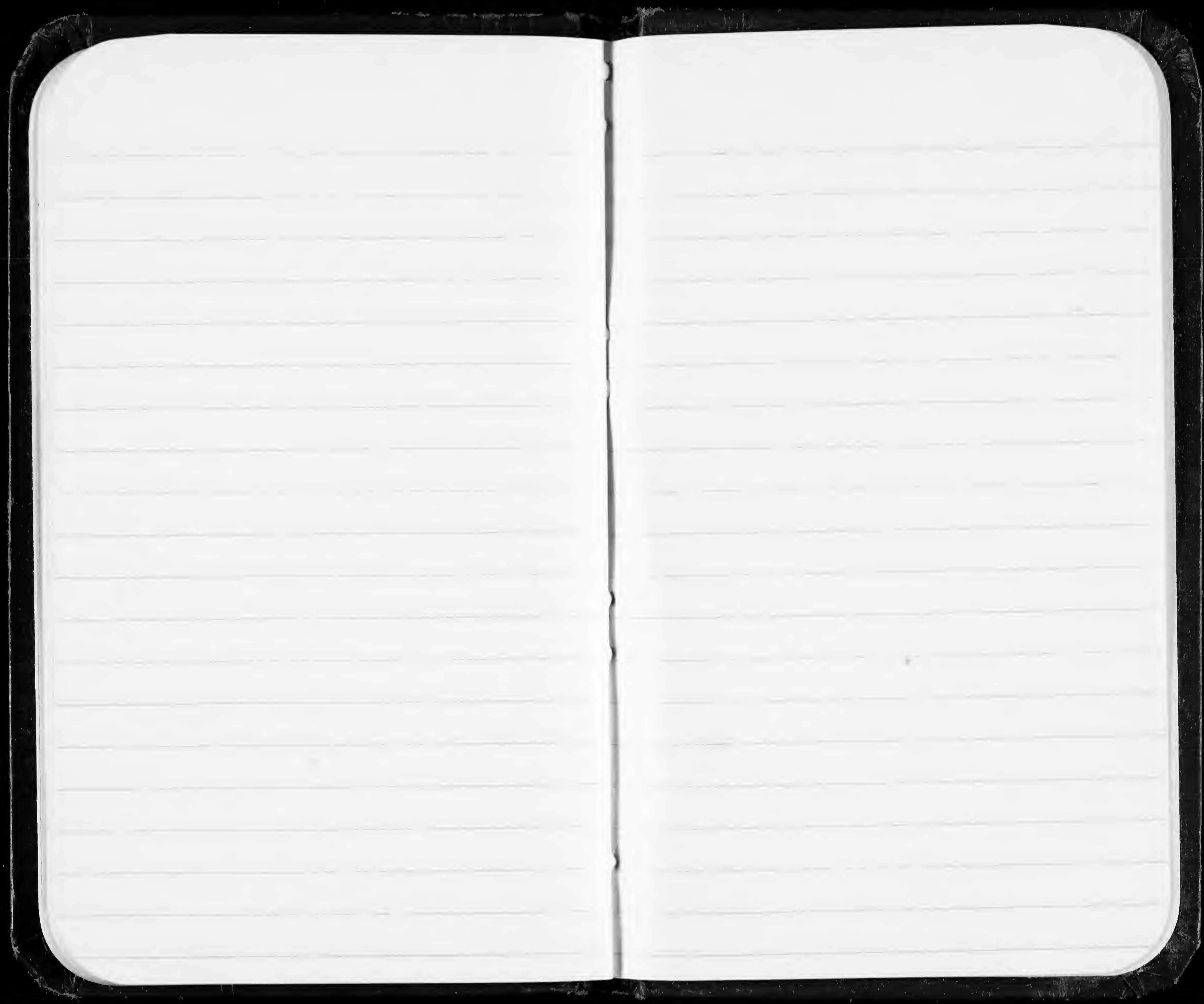
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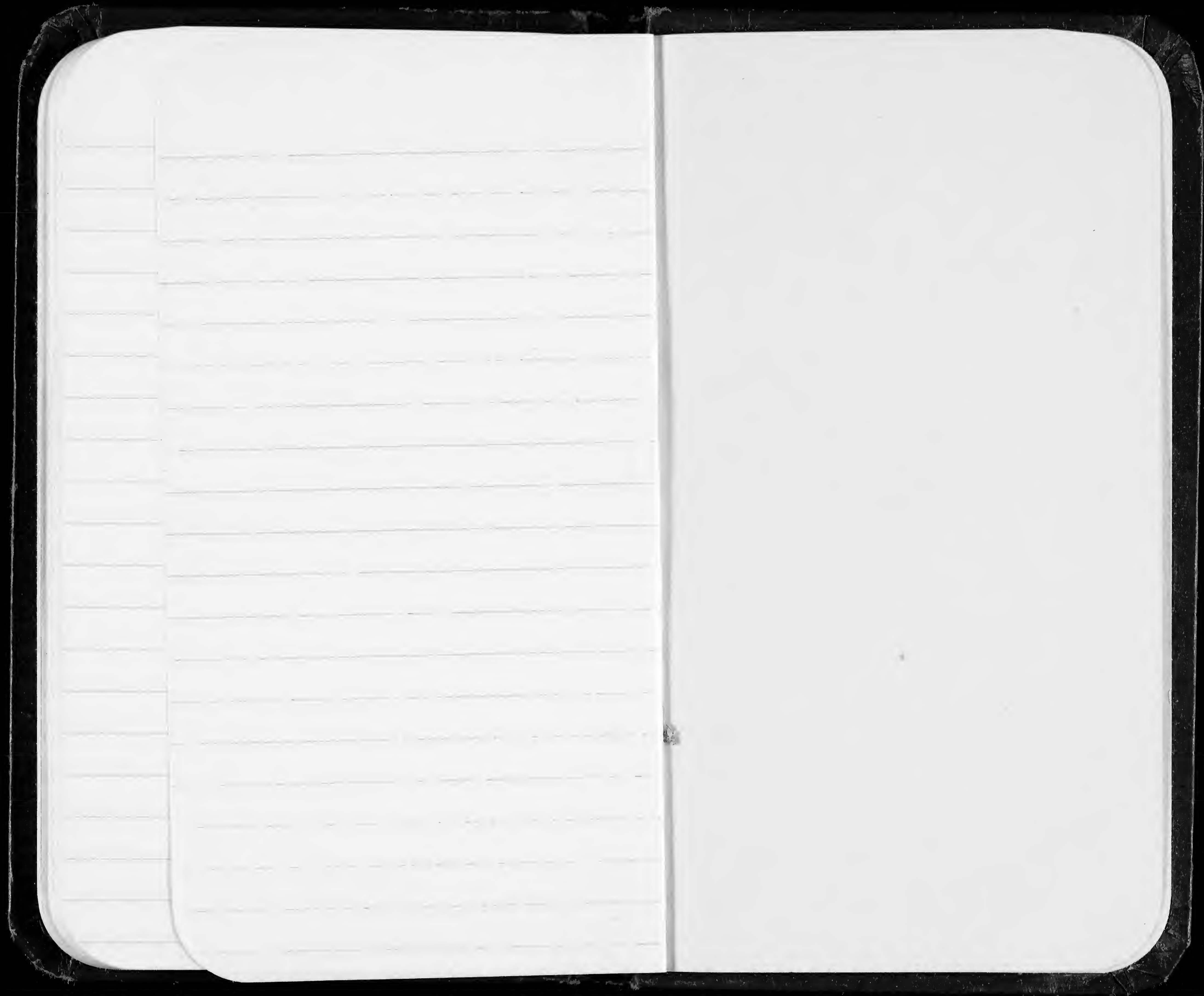
Common noddy

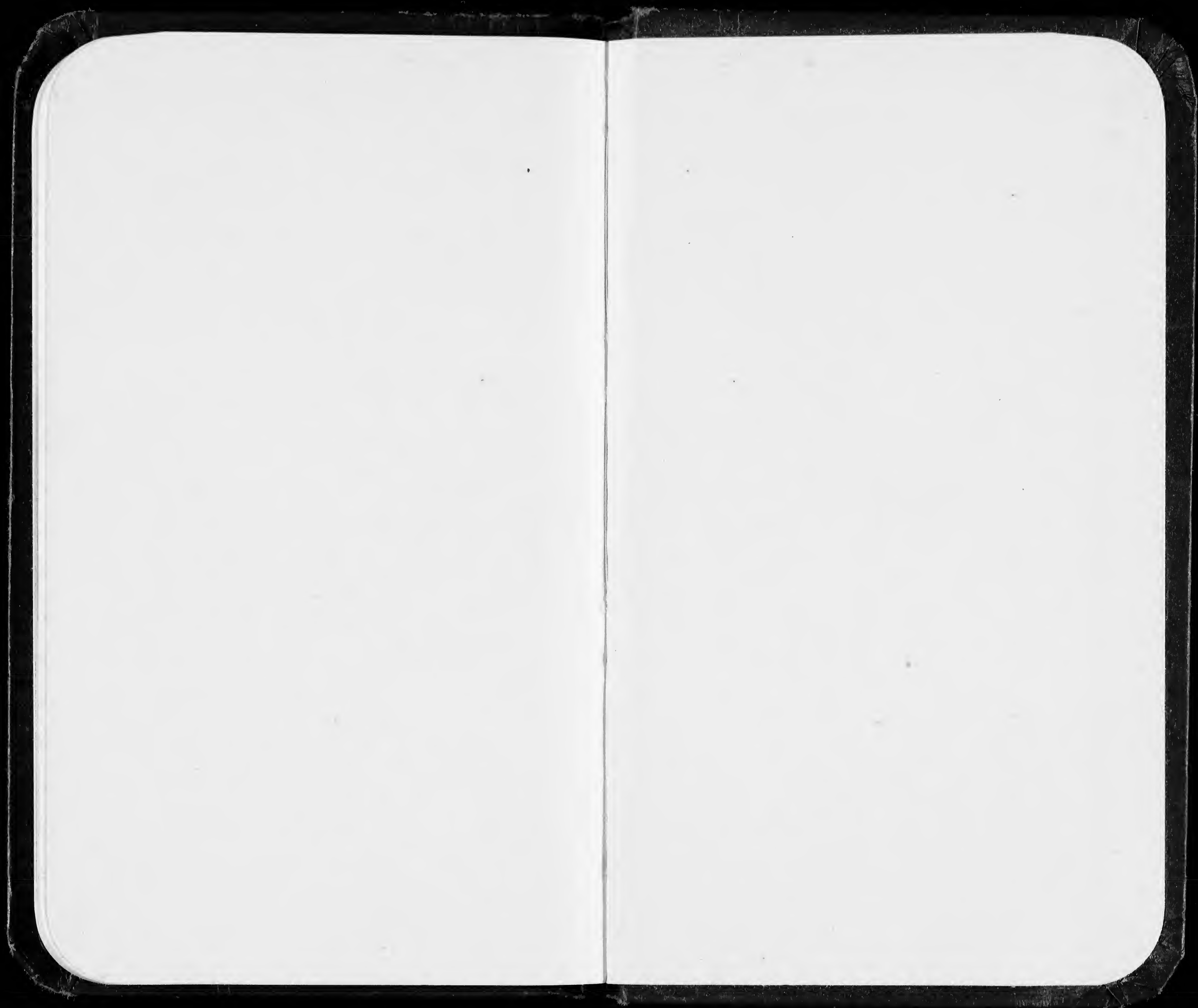
all eggs. all nests of Thrush on sesuvium
5, 7, 13, 9, 3, 7, 4 around
9, 2, 3 = (61) lagoon.

114
(175) + 4 w/ chicks









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